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SUBJ: SHORT LIST FOR DUBAI HOSPITAL DESIGN

1. DUBAI MUNICIPALITY HAS RELEASED ITS SHORT LIST
OF ARCHITECTS SELECTED TO COMPETE FOR THE DESIGN
OF A SIX-HUNDRED BED HOSPITAL IN DEIRA. CONSTRUCTION
IS EXPECTED TO START IN 1977 FOR COMPLETION IN
1981. FIRMS SELECTED ARE AS FOLLOWS:

- A. MEDICAL CONSTRUCTION INTERNATIONAL, SHAWNEE
MISSION, KANSAS.
- B. SCHUSTER PECHTOLD, MUNICH.
- C. KAISA CONSULTING AND ARQUITECTURA INGENIRIA
(SPAI, BIDDING THROUGH SHARJAH OFFICE).
- D. JOHN R. HARRIS AND PARTNERS (UK, BIDDING THROUGH
DUBAI OFFICE).
- E. SCAAN SWEDISH CIVIL ENGINEERS AND ARCHITECTS
(STOCKHOLM).
- F. ARENCO (DUBAI)
- G. DESIGN PARTNERSHIP INTERNATIONAL (LONDON)
- H. URS CORPORATION (NEW YORK)

2. INCLUSION OF TWO U.S.FIRMS ON LIST IS ENCOURAGING.
EMBASSY HAS BEEN IN DIRECT COMMUNICATION WITH URS AND
WOULD APPRECIATE ANY AVAILABLE INFORMATION ABOUT MCI.
INTERESTING FEATURE OF LIST IS TWO EUROPEAN FIRMS
CLAIMING UAE RESIDENCE. INCREASING NUMBER OF FOREIGN
FIRMS AND ENGINEERS ESTABLISHING SUBSTANTIAL OFFICES HERE,
INCLUDING U.S. FIRMS OF FOWLER-HANLEY (MINNEAPOLIS)
IN SHARJAH, AND HGB-GULF (SAVANNAH, GEORGIA) AND CENTURY
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ENGINEERING-CSD (BALTIMORE) IN DUBAI.

3. EMBASSY WILL CLOSELY FOLLOW PROGRESS THIS PROJECT.
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